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REVOCATION AND NEW POWER OF ATTORNEY AND STATEMENT UNDER 3.73(b)

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Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Sony Computer Entertainment Inc., a Japanese corporation with offices at 1-1 Akasaka 7-cho-me, Minato-ku, Tokyo, 107-0052 Japan, and Sony Computer Entertainment America, a U.S. corporation with offices at 919 East Hillsdale Boulevard, Foster City, California 94404, certify that they are the assignees of 100% of the right, title and

interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of an assignment from the inventors of the patent application identified above. The assignment was executed on October 3, 2001, and a copy of the assignment is enclosed.

The undersigned has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the patent application identified above and, to the best of undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignees identified above.

The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee.

The undersigned, acting on behalf of the assignees, hereby revokes all powers of attorney previously granted in the application and appoints:

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With full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute the application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United Statement Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patents issued thereon.

Sony Computer Entertainment Inc.

Date: May 62, 2002	Tetsuya Kobayashi Vice-President
	Sony Computer Entertainment America Inc.
Date:	Name: Title:

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	Assignor further agree that they will, without charge to said Ass				
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	IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto signed hi	s name to this assignment on the date indicated below.			
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